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Mr. Stephen Rosenfeld, Oped
The Washington Post
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Dear Mr. Rosenfeld,

Will you please forward the enclosed letter to Nat Hentoff?

Perhaps you would like to read it first.

To the limited degree I can I'll be keeping a separate file of this ugly commercialization of such a tragedy. For the historical record.

I did that with the 25thh anniversary. And as you'll recall, I did also with Oliver Stone.

It is an even lonelier place in the middle (for which I again thank you) but it is even more the only place to be.

The publishers confront the press with an insoluble problem for which almost all gain an immunity: who can keep up with all that terrible stuff and who knows enough to evaluate it?

And, can any paper justify the cost of having a reporter become really expert in the field? Lardner, by the way, is far and away the best informed.

Thanks and best wishes,

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